

Horse Department.

THE MORGAN REGISTER.

A Register intended to include all stallions of merit that trace in direct male line to a Morgan and having at least one sixty-fourth of his blood. All such stallions foaled in or before 1880 are admitted free. A fee of one dollar is charged for registering each stallion foaled since 1880, and for each mare whenever foaled. All mares are eligible that have the descent and inheritance above prescribed for stallions. The first volume, the final sheets of which are now being revised for the press, will contain about four thousand pedigrees, carefully compiled from original sources, a sketch of the origin and history of the great Morgan family, and much other new and original matter. The book will be illustrated with portraits of Morgan horses, and handsomely and substantially bound. The price is not yet fixed, but will be as low as can be afforded, so that the work may be widely distributed. The work has been done throughout on the plan of first exhausting all practicable means of getting and verifying information, description, leading rightly between what is known and what is unknown, and setting down nothing as ascertained which is in doubt. Sources of information will be given in each pedigree. But every reader can verify the work for himself. Full descriptions of the animals registered will be given, and tables showing the merits of the Morgans, as compared with other families, for both speed and endurance on the track, will be appended. Entries will be received for a short time further, and blanks furnished on application. Address:

JOSEPH BATELL,
Middlebury, Vt.

VERMONT ASSOCIATION OF ROAD AND TROTTER HORSE BREEDERS.

All the stakes and purses offered by the Vermont Association of Road and Trotting Horse Breeders for its meeting at White River Junction in August next close the 10th of June.

The stake for 2:23 stallions has been withdrawn and in its place the following is offered for horses that have never beaten 2:27 prior to June 10, and are otherwise eligible under the rules of the association: No. 7—Association Guarantee Purse, \$400; entrance, 10 per cent of purse, payable 2½ per cent June 10, 2½ per cent July 10, and 5 per cent Aug. 10; horse not required to be named till last payment. The whole amount of entrance money to go into the purse, and, if over \$750, the excess to be divided between the fifth and sixth horses in the ratio of 60 per cent of such excess to the fifth horse and 40 per cent to the sixth.

The association will hold a public sale of horses in connection with the meeting, at which any member may offer for sale as many horses or colts as he may desire. Entries for this sale will close July 10, after which a catalogue of the horses entered will be published and the list otherwise advertised. A first-class auctioneer has been engaged and this will be the best opportunity for the breeders of Vermont to dispose of their stock that has ever been afforded in New England.

Entry blanks and descriptive matter regarding either the sale or stakes and purses may be obtained upon application to the secretary, F. H. Farrington, Brandon.

NOTES

IN BENNINGTON AND RUTLAND COUNTIES,
MAY 6-8, 1891.

For information of Farr Horse and Barton Horse address Mrs. Hollis Stowell, South Windham, Vt., and for dam of Highland Gray, Nathan Holt, Weston, Vt.

Smith Kelly, Rutland, Vt., 75 years old, says:

The dam of Rounds Horse was out of a little mare called Morgan that Onas Hulet of Pawlet owned. I bought the dam of Rounds Horse of him when three years old. She was a bay, about 16 hands and a catch colt, got by Philip Clark's Messenger. Her dam was dark brown, 14-3. I sold the dam of Rounds Horse when about 6 years old to Herod Morgan, Whipple Hollow, Rutland, and took her for him soon after to Black Hawk, and she had the Rounds Horse. I think the Philip Clark Horse was from old Andrus Horse, and I think he got blind; a gray, 15-3, 1050 lbs. I know nothing about pedigree of dam of Rounds Horse except what Onas Hulet told me. I was married when 22; am now 75. I bought this filly 4 years after I was married. The Clark Horse then was only 6 or 7 years old.

Mr. Daniels, Rutland, says: Cephas Stone had a young bay stallion, 15-3, 1050 lbs., that he stood at Castleton and elsewhere.

E. Kelly, Clarendon, 80 years old, says: Barton Brown, Pawlet, raised his cream-colored mare from a Casoli horse that came along, and from this mare quite a race of horses sprung. They were very good horses and good size. Cole had one of the mares from Brown's old mare; his colts were all cream-colored. Father bought the last colt of the Brown mare, which she had when very old. I came from Danby when 12, and this colt was 5 years old when we moved. It was 68 years when father bought the colt, and Brown's mare was from 20 to 25 years when this colt was foaled. Father said the Casoli or Kasoul Horse was a large, square, chunked kind of a cream-colored horse. I think they called him imported. Brown came from Connecticut, and I think a man acquainted with him stopped with him a year or two and had this horse.

F. A. Morse, West Rutland, says: We bought Billy Morgan when 5 or 6 years old of C. M. Willard, Brandon, Vt., and sent him directly to Wisconsin, with another stallion, black, 16 hands, 1100 lbs., that we bought of Olmsted, Benson, J. D. Morse, Martinsburgh, Mo., would know about Olmsted Horse. Billy Morgan was bay, a fine-blooded horse, 15½ hands, 1050 lbs. Willard had him from Stone, who stood him one or two years. He kept him at Castleton, I think, before the war.

E. Kelly, Clarendon, says further: The Magnus Bonums were noble horses. Father owned a colt sold for \$600 in Boston. Patterson kept one of these Magnus Bonums at Danby 2 years, that had

been owned before at Long's in Cambridge, N. Y., and that was one of the best horses in this country. It was 70 years ago, when I was 10 years old, Magnus Bonum lived to be 33 years old, and broke his leg. This was the old imported horse and he was of good age when I saw him first. He was about the prettiest horse I ever saw and a pretty stepping horse. We raised three colts from him one year and two the next. He was a horse 15-2, 1100 lbs., and looked a little like the Morgans. The Hyde Horse was a Nimrod from a Magnus Bonum mare. Williams owned the old Nimrod. He was a small horse, a splendid little horse, keen as keen could be. Harrison Daniels tended the first Morgan horse I remember. Horse was owned at Rutland, ch., 1000 lbs. He had him here 2 years, about 1840. Horse had small stripe in face and heavy curly mane and tail. Was an active horse and a regular Morgan. Mr. Conner, Rutland, raised several colts from him. The horse came from over the mountain and was owned by Gould or some of them. The Morgans, Hamiltonians, Magnus Bonums and Messengers were all good horses. Chatterton owned a son of Magnus Bonum that was a good horse.

For Fiske's Morgan Tiger see B. J. Fiske, Rutland, or Henry Remington, Rutland.

Mr. Hulet, Pawlet, born 1838, says: Fitch Clark, Pawlet, had a horse called Bellfounder, ch., white face, 15-2, 1000 lbs., about 1850. I remember the Judson Horse, owned by Nathan Judson, brown, tall and rangy, 15-3, 1100 lbs. He stood in Pawlet. I was 10 years old.

Mr. Clark, Pawlet, born 1828, says: I remember the Judson Horse when I was 8 or 9. Fitch Clark brought Barney Henry and a son of his from Fort Ann way and had them one season at Pawlet, Danby and Wallingford—son ugiv. My uncle raised colts from Jim Biggart's Henry year I was 15 (1843). Wilson of Jamaica brought 3 stallions here 27 years ago, one bay, very thick set, 16 hands, 1200 lbs., called Green Mountain Morgan. He got the Haines Horse, owned by Jonathan Haines, Middletown. Ed. Sherman, Tinnmouth, Vt., had a stallion called Sherman Horse, bay, 15-3, 1100 lbs.; owned him till he died, about 1880. Another Wilson horse was bay, 900 lbs., the other chestnut, 1000 lbs., all Morgans, I think.

Amos Brown, Pawlet, Vt., says: My grandfather owned a fine bay mare. A peddler stopped over night with him having a stallion, which was turned into a lot, got with the mare and she had a cream-colored filly that would now be nearly 100 years old if alive. The peddler stayed but one night. Father remembered the peddler and his horse and has often told me about it. My father and uncle kept these cream-colored horses.

Silas Hulet, born 1807, says: The Brown horses were ambitious kind of horses; tough little fellows; generally rather smallish, 900 to 1000 lbs. They did not generally have a black list on back. There were a good many Morgans here 50 or 60 years ago.

S. H. Andrews says: Eclipse was here with Barney Henry, tended by Bagley.

Joshua Hulet, born 1814, Pawlet, says: The La Touche Horse was got by La Touche at Schuylerville, N. Y., an oldish horse when he got him; white, 15-2, 1000 lbs. Philip Clark's Messenger, gray, 15-2, 1100 lbs., was by him, and about the last colt he got. When Uncle Daniel Hulet died a mare went into Kelly's hands, 4 years old when he got her. Uncle Daniel went up to Middletown with Tom Newton and bought twenty-four weanling colts in one day, and after his death these were sold unbroken. The Kelly filly, dam of Rounds Horse, was one of these colts. I went to Middletown for Rounds to trace her pedigree, but did not succeed. Erwin Little knows about this Kelly mare. The Barton-Brown horses were cream, good horses, not very large.

Mr. Bromley, Pawlet, says: Daniel Hulet died August, 1838. Onas was a son of Daniel, Jr. Silas Hulet carried on Daniel Hulet's farm, and Daniel died while Silas was there. Daniel, Jr., died December, 1836. He bought the colts at Middletown a year or two before. Onas Hulet died in the fall of 1840. He lived on the farm in 1838 with Amos Bromley. Mrs. Lucretia Bromley would know about it. Kimball had his horses, Green Mountain Morgan, Messenger and Giant Morgan here in 1856. Green Mountain was here two years before. Morgan Messenger was here one year. Daniel Clark died fall of 1842. He had a gray horse by the La Touche Horse, which was 7 or 8 years old when he died. I rode this Daniel Clark horse at training about 1840 or 1841. He was then from 5 to 7 years old. I broke him to ride. He was very intelligent and learned rapidly. La Touche got his horse about 1834, owned it one season and sold to Dyer Hulet, whose father criticised the purchase and Dyer killed the horse by letting him fall over a precipice. The horse was blind; was kept in Salem one or more seasons before he came here. Dyer had him but a short time. He was a nice horse, fine with handsome crest. La Touche got him at Woodward's Hotel, Salem. I think Dyer got him in 1834; his father died in 1836, and he had him while his father was alive. Captain Train, a relative of the Browns, told me that the sire of Brown's mare came from Rhode Island or Connecticut. The La Touche Horse was blind when La Touche got him. The Ezra Andrus' Hamiltonian was a thick-set horse, more of the Morgan build. La Touche worked in a fac-

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GAINESBORO FARM!

THE TROTTER-BRED STALLION

Grandview, 4911,

Will make the season of 1891 at the GAINESBORO FARM, PANTON, ADDISON COUNTY, Vt., at \$15.00 to insure a mare in foal.

GRANDVIEW was foaled in 1884, is a dark Red Bay in color, with Black points; stands 16 hands high, and weighs 1100 pounds. His breeding warrants the highest expectation; merit, not breeding, has made his lines fashionable. He has size, beauty and finish, superb constitution, fine disposition, flat clean legs, with the best of feet; these are things that never go out of fashion, whatever the fluctuations in fashion of blood. He has never been in a trainer's hands to have his speed developed, but has shown quarters in 40 seconds, and gives evidence of enough speed to warrant a belief that he will not only make a fast trotter, but sire fast and game trotters, inheriting this quality from both sides of his pedigree, and backed by the facts that his first crop show speed, and that his full sister, Fanchon, has already given evidence of such inheritance in private trials and public races.

PEDIGREE

GRANDVIEW was sired by Montello (sire of Montclair, rec. 2:35; Fanchon, [2] trial quarter in 34½; half in 1:10, and several others with rec. close to 2:30). FIRST DAM, Fanchon, trial 2:35; (dam of Fanchon, [2] trial quarter in 34½; half in 1:10) by Walkhill Chief (sire of Great Eastern 2:38; to saddle 2:15; Dick Swiveler 2:48, and three others with rec. below 2:30; full brother to Sir Walkhill, sire of three in 2:40 list, and Ajax, sire of three in 2:30 list, and Arcturus, sire of two in 2:30 list, and Orange Girl rec. 2:20). SECOND DAM, (the dam of Bruno trial 2:31 and ten, Stark trial 2:45, and Brutus trial 2:35) by Hemlock Horse, son of Vermont Black Hawk. THIRD DAM, by Sherman Black Hawk, son of Vermont Black Hawk. MONTELLO by Almont, (sire of 38 performers in 2:30 list; sire of 35 producing sons; 29 producing daughters; 22 producing Grand sons, and 31 producing Grand-daughters. First dam, Delmonia (dam of Mattie Wise 2:32); by Delmonico (sire of Darby rec. 2:16½, and sire of the dam of Sultan 2:34, that sired Stamboul 2:11 and many other fast trotters.) For more extended pedigree, and further information, address,

H. F. GAINES, PROPRIETOR,
19;8w. PANTON, Addison Co., Vt.

ARCHY, JR.,

Was foaled in June, 1888. He is a brown horse without marks, black points, 15½ hands high and weighs 900 lbs. He has never been trained, but shows great speed promise.

ARCHY, JR., was sired by MAMBRINO ARCHY, 2:24½, by Mambrino Boy, 2:20½, by Mambrino Patchen. Dam of Mambrino Archy by John Dillard, son of Indian Chief; second dam by Imp. Belshazzar; third dam by Imp. Envoy; fourth dam by Bertrand, son of Sir Archy by Imp. Diomed.

ARCHY, JR.'S dam was sired by Gen. Sherman, 862, by Young Columbus, 95; dam of dam, a mare bred by Lewis Rogers of Whitehall, N. Y., owned by G. & C. Wicker of Ticonderoga and sired by Ethan Allen, 43. She had a record of 2:384.

ARCHY, JR.,

Will make the Season of 1891 at the Stable of the Subscriber in Weybridge.

TERMS \$10 to Warrant.

With the usual return privilege.

JOSEPH DROLLETT.

WEYBRIDGE, Vt., April 14, 1891.

To Breeders of Trotting Stock.

RUMOR, 1465.

Will make the season of 1891 at the subscriber's stable, Middlebury, in the Seeley district on the creek road.

TERMS: \$10 to Warrant

RUMOR is a full standard-bred registered stallion, foaled 1876 and bred by F. W. Mosley, Poughkeepsie, Vt. He is of Messenger color (a gray); is very stylish, has elegant mane and tail and in all points of form and finish he is without a fault. Though he has been driven but little and has no trotting record, he shows a fast gait and could easily be driven in 2:40. His colts are excellent in size, style and gait.

RUMOR'S sire is the renowned sire of roadsters and trotters, DANIEL LAMBERT, sire of 35 in the 2:30 list; by Ethan Allen, by Vermont Black Hawk by Sherman Morgan by Justin Morgan. His dam is Fanny Hoskins by Harris' Hambletonian, by Harris' Hambletonian by Bishop's Hambletonian, by Imp. Messenger. It will be readily seen that Rumor comes from the best trotting blood in the country. From him we may trace back in at least eight different strains to that wonderful gray horse, imported Messenger, whence sprang more or less remotely about all the fast horses in America. With Daniel Lambert, the most famous stallion in New England, as sire, and Fanny Hoskins, a registered Hambletonian, as dam, we have united in RUMOR two great trotting families. The sire of Rumor's dam, Harris' Hambletonian (sire of Joker, 2:22½), was a large horse, weighing over 1100 lbs., so that while Rumor is not larger than his famous sire, he should produce, and does produce, colts of good size and fine action.

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JOHN M. BOSLEY, Keeper,
MIDDLEBURY, VT.

SHELBURNE FARM STUD.

SPECIAL OFFER.

In order to introduce and establish the high value of Coach horses and give breeders of this section an opportunity to test their real merits at a nominal expense, the imported

HACKNEY STALLION,

SPROTBRO FASHION, 2277,

(by Charley Fireaway; dam, Perfection), winner of 1st prize at Chicago Show and 2d prize at the late New York Show, and the imported

FRENCH COACH STALLION,

JAVANAIS,

(by Agnadel; dam Rapide), winner of 1st prize at late New York Show and 3d prize at the great Government Show at St. Lo, France.

Will stand for service at DARWIN RIDER'S PLACE formerly known as BATELL BREAD LOAF STOCK FARM, near Fair Ground in the town of

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at the exceptionally low fee of

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SHELBURNE FARMS STUD,

SHELBURNE, VERMONT.

HACKNEY STALLION.

BROWN FASHION (by Confidence). A horse of extraordinary beauty and action. Service fee \$75.

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HACKNEY STALLION.

ACCIDENT (by Black Aster). Winner of first prize and gold medal Paris exhibition 1889. Service fee \$25.

HACKNEY STALLION.

SPROTBRO FASHION (by Charley Fireaway). Winner of first prize at Chicago Show and second prize at New York Show, 1890. Service fee \$25.

HACKNEY STALLION.

ROCKETT 3d (by Confidence). 14½ hands high. The handsomest pony ever imported. Service fee \$50.

All of the above are registered in their respective classes.

For further particulars address,

A. TAYLOR,
MANAGER.

LAMBERT ALLEN.

This young Stallion will stand for a limited number of good mares.

He is a Morgan clear through, being

Sired by ARISTOS

with 7 in the 2:30 list. His dam is by DeLong's Ethan, grandam by Green Mountain Banner, he by Prime Horse and he by Old Black Hawk.

Grandam by Rutland Morgan, he by Green Mountain Morgan, so that he traces back to Old Black Hawk in three direct lines.

He is four years old, a beautiful chestnut in color, stands 15 hands high, weighs 950 pounds, good mane and tail; he is exceedingly nery and ambitious. Although never handled for speed he has shown quarters in 40 sec.

Lambert Allen will make the season of 1891 for \$20 to Warrant at the stables of

F. H. DEAN, West Cornwall, Vt.

KEELER.

By Dictator, sire of Jay Eye See, 2:10, Phallas, 2:13 3-4, Director, 2:17, and many others in the 2:30 list. Dam by (Senior's) Davy Crockett, 2d dam by Legal Tender, sire of Red Cloud, record, 2:18.

KEELER has been placed in our charge and will make a short season, after which he will be handled for speed. Terms, \$25 CASH, with privilege of return if mare does not prove \$25 with foal.

KEELER

is six years old, 15½ hands high, and will weigh 1000 lbs. In color a seal brown, good mane and tail and looks much like the MIGHTY DICTATOR, his sire, and also the sire of the

Three Fastest Horses Ever Got by One Stallion.

His colts already satisfy the most incredulous that they are born trotters, and that KEELER IS SURE to be a success crossed with the mares of Lambert and Ethan Allen blood.

Mares kept on hay at \$1.50 a week, and on grass at 75 cent, at owner's risk.

HALL & SKINNER.

Orwell, Vt., Feb. 10, 1891.

A TYPICAL MORGAN!

FEARLESS M.,

Registered in MORGAN REGISTER.

SIRE—MOTION, 2:29, he by Daniel Lambert, the famous horse of Vermont.

DAM—by Walker Horse and he a grandson of Harris' Hambletonian; grand-dam by Pilgrim Morgan and he by DuBois Horse, son of Bulrush Morgan by Justin Morgan.

FEARLESS M.

Will make the Season of 1891 at Cornwall, Vt. FEARLESS M. is dark chestnut in color with small white strip in face, two white hind ankles; heavy mane and tail; height, 15-3 hands; weight about 1050 lbs; he will be four years old the 30th day of May, 1891.

FEARLESS M. in Form, Color, Style and Action is another Daniel Lambert. His first and second dams were as famous road mares as were ever bred in Addison County, and his speed promise is of the highest.

TERMS—\$10, To Warrant Mare in Foal.

J. H. MACK, Cornwall, Vt.

1½ Miles from Middlebury on the Bridport road. April 13, 1891.

I, J. H. Mack, owner of the stallion Fearless M., whose age, pedigree and terms of service are given above, hereby declare my intention to take advantage of an act of the General Assembly of the State of Vermont, approved Nov. 27, 1888, and entitled "An act for the Protection of Horse Owners." Cornwall, Vt., April 15.

J. H. MACK.